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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Akihiro MIZUTANI  
Title: IMAGE PROCESSING  
APPARATUS AND  
PERSONAL  
INFORMATION  
MANAGEMENT  
PROGRAM  
Appl. No.: 10/796,132  
Appl. Filing Date: 03/10/2004  
Examiner: Benjamin E. Lanier  
Art Unit: 2132  
Confirmation Number: 2059

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)**  
**TRANSMITTAL**

Mail Stop RCE  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. This RCE and the enclosed items listed below are being filed prior to the earliest of: (1) payment of the issue fee (unless a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.313 is granted); (2) abandonment of the application; or (3) the filing of a notice of appeal to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit under 35 U.S.C. §141, or the commencement of a civil action under 35 U.S.C. §145 or §146 (unless the appeal or civil action is terminated).

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1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114: (check items that apply)

## a. Previously submitted:

Please enter and consider the amendment and/or reply previously filed on \_\_\_\_.

Please consider the Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) previously filed on \_\_\_\_ but not considered.

Please consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply previously filed on \_\_\_\_.

Other \_\_\_\_.

## b. Enclosed are:

Amendment/Reply.

Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s).

Information Disclosure Statement.

Form PTO/SB/08 with copies of \_\_\_\_ listed reference(s).

Other .

## Miscellaneous:

Suspension of action of the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_ months.

The filing fee is calculated below:

	Claims as Amended	Previously Paid For	Extra Claims Present	Rate	Fee Totals
RCE Fee 1.17(e):				\$810.00	= \$810.00
Total Claims:	20	- 20	= 0	x \$52.00	= \$0.00

Independents	2	-	4	= 0	x \$220.00	=	\$0.00
First presentation of any Multiple Dependent Claims:				+	\$390.00	=	\$0.00
CLAIMS FEE TOTAL:							= \$810.00

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[ ] Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

[ ] Extension for response filed within the first month:	\$130.00	0	\$0.00
[ ] Extension for response filed within the second month:	\$490.00		\$0.00
[ ] Extension for response filed within the third month:	\$1,110.00		\$0.00
[ ] Extension for response filed within the fourth month:	\$1,730.00		\$0.00
[ ] Extension for response filed within the fifth month:	\$2,350.00		\$0.00
EXTENSION FEE SUBTOTAL:			
EXTENSION FEE ALREADY PAID: -			
EXTENSION FEE TOTAL			
CLAIMS AND EXTENSION FEE TOTAL: \$810.00			
[ ] Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):	\$0.00		
[ ] Suspension of action requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c)	\$0.00		
TOTAL FEE: \$810.00			

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A credit card payment form in the amount of \$810.00 to cover the filing fee is enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by the credit card payment form being unsigned, providing incorrect information resulting in a rejected credit card transaction, or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

Date December 19, 2008

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